PUBLIC CONSULTATION MEETING TO DISCUSS REGULATORY APPROACHES TO REDUCE EMISSIONS FROM STATIONARY

Update on Technology Demonstration Project and Test Method Workgroup





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Technology Demonstration and Test Method Workgroup

Test Method Workgroup

- **■** Goals
- Background & issues
- Test methods overview
- **■** Evaluation process
- Status



Workgroup-Goals

■ Goals

- ◆ Select stationary diesel engine in-use/ compliance test method for ATCM
- ◆ Implement recommended method into ATCM
- **■** Technical Workgroup members:
 - ◆ ARB
 - Industry
 - Districts
 - ◆ Academic/Research
- Met September 4, 2002

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Workgroup-Background and Issues

- Lack of correlation between the two methods
 - ◆ ISO 8178 used for verification and EPA certification
 - ◆ Method 5/100 used for permitting and compliance
- Variations in results between methods may
 - ◆ Impact product verification
 - **◆ Source compliance evaluations**
- CARB Method 5 Issues
 - ◆ Controlled emission levels may be below detection limit
 - Expensive and difficult to perform in field
 - Potential method bias and artifact formation (primarily with impinger catch)

Workgroup-Test Methods Overview

Compliance Test Method Comparison

| CARB Method 5 | ISO 8178 |
|---|--|
| Standard Stationary Engine Test Method | Standard Method for Certification and Verification |
| Raw Exhaust | Diluted |
| Filter 248 <u>+</u> 25 °F (120 <u>+</u> 14 °C) Impinger (~60 °F) | Filter Below 125°F (52 °C) No Impinger |
| Field Available | Laboratory Availability Limited Field Availability |
| Method does not define test loads or speeds | Method defines engine test loads and speeds |

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Workgroup-Test Method Evaluation Process

Data Needs

- Direct comparisons between methods
- Evaluate contribution of the impinger (backhalf) with speciation
- Review the PM measurement methods used in health studies
- Evaluate impact of changes to emissions inventories
- Evaluate the impact on the districts to implement any proposed changes

Workgroup-Status

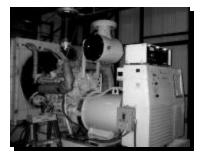
- Completed 3 direct CARB Method 5 / ISO 8178 comparisons on baseline engines
- Performing chemical characterization of the impinger components-selected Method 5 tests
- Reviewing PM measurement methods used in health studies
- Proposing to include PM minidilution testing in selected field testing
- Present preliminary results to Workgroup in January

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PM Demonstration-Program Overview

- **■** Objectives
- **■** Test matrix
- Test methodology
- **■** Control device selection
- Schedule and contact information



PM Demonstration-Program Objectives

- Combined CEC BUG and ARB Stationary Engine Demonstrations
- Demonstrate PM controls targeted to stationary engines
- Representative engines from database
- Measure baseline and controlled emission levels
- Evaluate key operating parameters which affect control technology
- **■** Test method comparisons

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PM Demonstration-Test Matrix

- 2 Size Ranges
 - ◆ 15 engines (500 to 750 kW)
 - ◆ 3 engines (1750 to 2000 kW)
- 3 Age Ranges
 - ◆ Pre 1987
 - **1987-1996**
 - ◆ Post 1996
- 3 Manufacturers
 - ◆ Caterpillar
 - **◆ Cummins**
 - ◆ Detroit Diesel Corporation



PM Demonstration-Test Methodology

■ 7 Retrofit Control Technologies

- ◆ Active and Passive Diesel Particulate Filters
- **◆ Diesel Oxidation Catalysts**
- ◆ Emulsified Fuel

■ Measurement Methods

- ◆ ISO 8178
- ◆ ARB Method 5/100 (selected engines)
- ◆ Test Cycles: ISO 8178-4

■ Emission Measurements

- ◆ Baseline Emissions
- Retrofitted Emissions
- ◆ Durability (168 hrs)

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PM Control Technologies Selected for Demonstration

■ Active Filters

- Engine Control Systems DPF w/Electrical Regeneration
- ◆ ArvinMeritor- DPF w/ Active Fuel Burner

■ Passive Filters

- ◆ Johnson Matthey-CRT
- Catalytic Exhaust Products- Bare Filter +CDT Fuel Additive

■ Diesel Oxidation Catalyst

- **◆ Sud-Chemie DOC**
- ◆ CleanAir Systems DOC+FTF+CDT Fuel Additive

■ Emulsifed Fuel

◆ Lubrizol



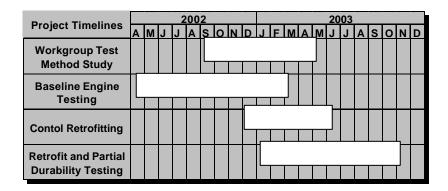
Demonstration Program Status

- Completed 8 ISO 8178 tests on baseline engines
- **■** Completed 3 Method 5 comparison tests
- Identified and selected control devices
- Retrofitting in progress
- Retrofit testing to start in January

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Program Schedule



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